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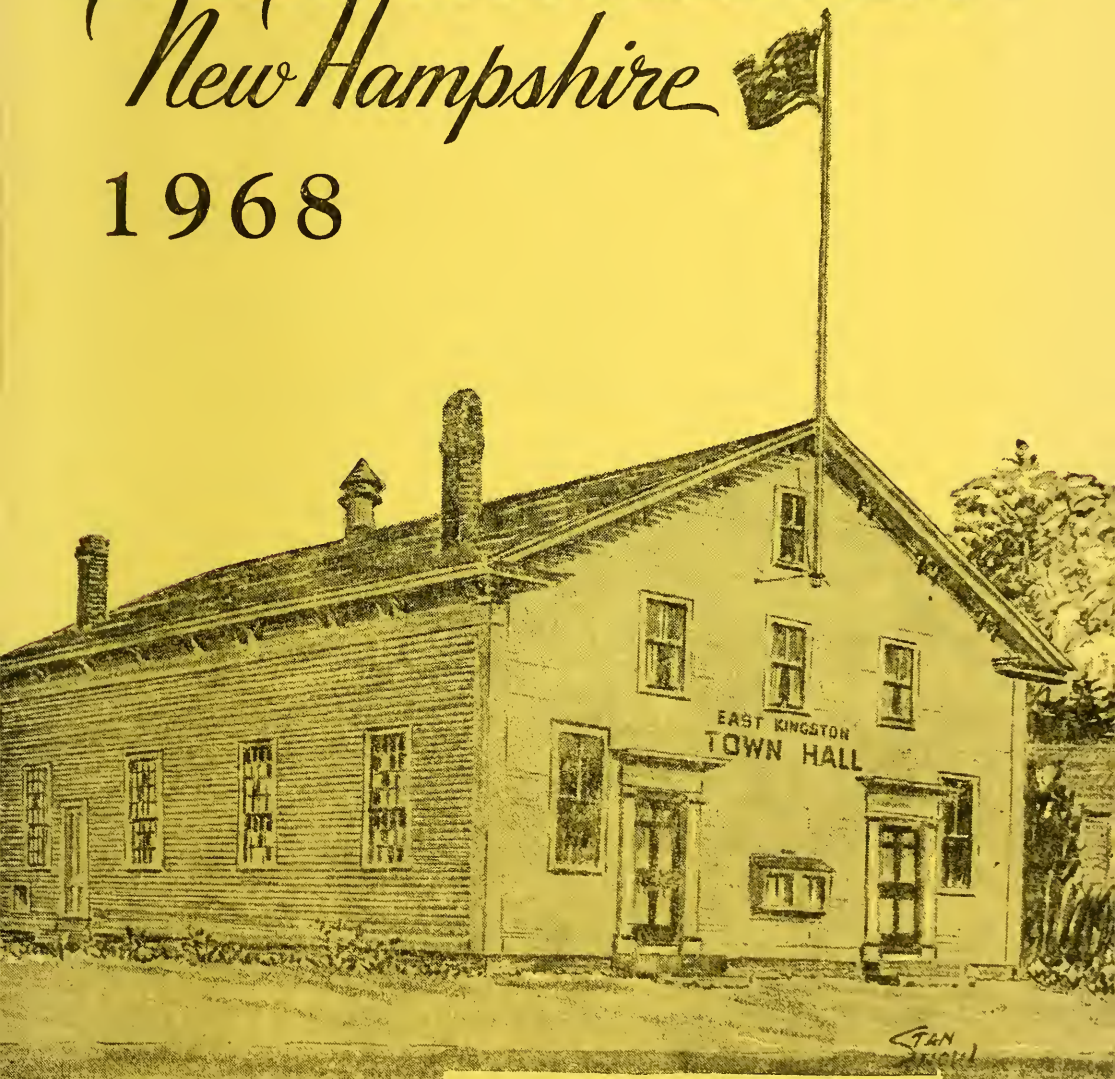

FOR THE YEAR ENDING
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ANNUAL REPORTS

of the

SELECTMEN, TREASURER, TAX COLLECTOR, TOWN CLERK, PUBLIC LIBRARY, CEMETERY COMMITTEES & TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31,

1968

BOARD OF EDUCATION AND SCHOOL TREASURER
FOR THE YEAR ENDING, JUNE 30, 1968

of the

Town of East Kingston

NEW HAMPSHIRE
TOGETHER WITH VITAL STATISTICS
FOR THE YEAR 1968

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TOWN OFFICERS

ELECTED BIENNIALLY

Moderator
Robert B. Donovan

Supervisors of Checklist
Hazel Hilliard, Mary Radcliff, Helen E. West

ELECTED ANNUALLY

TOWN CLERK
Edith M. Helme

Selectmen
Wesley S. Nickerson '71 Ernest J. Moreau '69
Richard Connelly '70

Treasurer
Richard E. Driggs

Collector of Taxes
Arline L. Rowell

Highway Agent
(Selectmen)

Trustees of Trust Funds
Frederic Smith '71 Nathaniel Rowell '69
William A. Deady '70

Trustees of Public Library
Ruth Joslin '71 Margaret Tilton '69
Arline Rowell '70

Auditors
Eleanor Moreau Eva L. Smith

APPOINTED

Librarian
Hazel Hilliard

Health Officer
Francis L. M. Smith

Union Cemetery Committee
Lewis B. Tilton

Hillside Cemetery Committee
Richard E. Palmer Francis L. M. Smith
Archie Osmond

Police Department
Richard A. Atkinson, Chief
Robert Vatcher Louis Quintal
Joseph R. Perry

Forest Fire Warden
Richard A. Smith

Fire Department
TO REPORT A FIRE CALL 642-5266
Robert M. Belcher, Chief

Engineers
George F. Baker Richard A. Smith
Robert Belcher

East Kingston Voluntary Firemen's Association
David Boudreau - President
David Woodburn - Vice President
David Conti - Secretary
Ernest Goudreau - Treasurer

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of East Kingston in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said East Kingston on Tuesday, the eleventh day of March, next at two of the clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1, To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money in anticipation of taxes.

4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,000.00 for the maintenance of the Fire Department, and any surplus not used for maintenance be set aside for a fire truck fund.

5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $250.00 for Forest Fire Department to purchase needed equipment.

6. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Fire Chief to send fire apparatus out of town and receive fire apparatus from other towns in accordance with the provisions of the New Hampshire Revised Statutes Annotated, Chapter 154, Sections 24 through 30 inclusive, as amended.

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $248.28 against the State appropriation of $1,655.23 for Class V Road Assistance.

8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 to be used in conjunction with State and Federal Funds for the control of White Pine Blister Rust in woodlands.

9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $800.00 to paint the exterior of the Town Hall.

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $100.00 for the Portsmouth Mental Health Clinic.

11. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to have a float constructed to represent our Town in Kingston's 275th Anniversary Parade. Necessary funds to be taken from cash on hand.

12. To see if the Town will accept the reports of the Town Officers and Auditors as printed in the Town Reports.

13. To transact any business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this seventeenth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and sixty nine.

ERNEST J. MOREAU
RICHARD F. CONNELLY
WESLEY S. NICKERSON
Selectmen of East Kingston

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

ERNEST J. MOREAU
RICHARD F. CONNELLY
WESLEY S. NICKERSON
Selectmen of East Kingston

Budget of the Town of East Kingston, N. H.

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1969 to December 31, 1969. Compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1, 1968 to December 31, 1968.

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1968	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1968	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1969
FROM STATE:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	900.00	995.12	1,000.00
Railroad Tax	140.00		
Savings Bank Tax	325.00	384.49	400.00
Meals and Rooms Tax	900.00	1,395.94	1,400.00
Reimbursement a/c State and Federal Forest Lands	15.00	16.75	17.00
For Fighting Forest Fires	30.00	28.11	30.00
Reimb. a/c Old Age Asst.	2,000.00	901.46	
From Local Sources Except Taxes:			
Dog Licenses	280.00	333.20	300.00
Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees	75.00	20.00	50.00
Interest Recd. on Taxes & Deposits		371.22	350.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	6,000.00	7,370.28	7,500.00
Head Tax Expense Reimb.	8.00	8.88	10.00
From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:			
(a) Poll Taxes—Reg. at $2	550.00	603.00	650.00
(b) Nat. Bank Stock Taxes	33.30	33.30	33.30
(c) Yield Taxes	100.00		
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES	11,356.30	12,461.75	11,740.30
*AMT. TO BE RAISED BY PROPERTY TAXES			131,544.98
TOTAL REVENUES			$143,285.28

*Total estimated "Revenues from All sources except Property Taxes" deducted from Total estimated "Expenditures" should give estimated "Amount to be raised by Property Taxes."

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year Year 1968	Actual Expenditures Previous Year Year 1968	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year Year 1969
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:			
Town Officer's Salaries	2,500.00	2,651.00	2,800.00
Town Officer's Expenses	1,400.00	1,422.49	1,500.00
Election and Reg. Exp.	400.00	522.00	300.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs.	1,000.00	1,053.39	1,100.00
Reappraisal of Property	200.00	503.84	400.00
Protection of Persons and Property:			
Police Department	800.00	1,022.73	1,000.00
Fire Department	3,000.00	3,075.00	3,000.00
Moth. Exterm.—Blister Rust and Care of Trees	150.00	148.70	150.00
Insurance	400.00	659.10	650.00
Planning and Zoning		25.00	200.00
Fire Warden Appropriation	250.00	174.62	250.00
Damages and Legal Expenses	200.00	130.40	200.00
Civil Defense	100.00	170.76	100.00
Red Network	400.00	372.00	372.00
Health:			
Vital Statistics	20.00	16.00	20.00
Town Dump, Garbage Removal	500.00	500.00	500.00
Highways and Bridges:			
Town Maintenance—Summer	2,000.00	2,201.65	2,200.00
Town Maintenance—Winter	3,000.00	2,873.92	3,000.00
Street Lighting	80.00	74.04	80.00
Gen. Exp. Highway Dept.	800.00	787.65	800.00
Town Road Aid	249.80	249.80	248.28

Libraries	400.00	400.00	500.00
Public Welfare:			
Bond & Debt Retirement	54.41	54.41	
Old Age Assistance	6,000.00	2,064.62	2,000.00
Patriotic Purposes:			
Memorial Day and Vets' Asso.	5.00	34.00	35.00
Public Service Enterprises:			
Cemeteries	375.00	389.35	400.00
Church Clock	26.00		
Interest:			
On Temporary Loans	150.00	50.56	100.00
County Taxes	6,000.00	7,683.40	9,000.00
School Taxes	89,576.00	71,080.80	112,380.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	120,036.21	100,391.24	143,285.28

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Town of East Kingston, N.H., in account with the Selectmen for the year ending December 31, 1968.

Inventory of Valuation April 1, 1968

Land, Improved and Unimproved		$ 664,270
Buildings, Includes Mobile Homes Assessed as Real Property		2,762,920
Factory Machinery		3,500
Gas Transmission Line		73,500
Electric Plants, etc.		146,000
Stock in Trade (Merchants)		15,750
Boats and Launches (7)		2,250
Dairy Cows (57)		4,050
Poultry (4600)		1,400
Gasoline Pumps & Tanks		600
Portable Mills		3,600
Wood, Lumber, Logs, etc. (not stock in trade)		12,000
Total Valuation Before Exemptions Allowed		$3,689,840
Blind Exemptions	$1,000	
Neatstock Exemptions	1,000	
Total Exemptions Allowed		2,000
Net Valuation on which Tax Rate is Computed		$3,687,840

Taxes Assessed for 1968

Town Officers Salaries	$2,500.00
Town Officers Administrative Expenses	1,400.00

Election & Registration Expenses		400.00	
Red Network		400.00	
Town Hall & Public Buildings Maintenance		1,000.00	
Police Department		800.00	
Fire Protection		3,250.00	
Volunteer Fire Assn.	$3,000		
Forest Fires	250		
Blister Rust		150.00	
Insurance		400.00	
Damages & Legal Expense		200.00	
Civilian Defense		100.00	
Vital Statistics		20.00	
Town Dump		500.00	
Town Road Maintenance		5,000.00	
Summer	$2,000		
Winter	3,000		
Street Lighting		80.00	
General Expenses of Highway Dept.		800.00	
Town Road Aid		249.80	
Libraries		400.00	
Old Age Assistance		6,000.00	
Memorial Day		5.00	
Cemeteries		375.00	
Church Clock		26.00	
Reappraisal of Property		200.00	
Interest Payments		150.00	
Purchase of Civil Defense Radio		75.00	
Visiting Nurse Service		984.00	
TOTAL TOWN APPROPRIATIONS			$25,464.80
Less Estimated Revenue and Credits			13,385.91

NET TOWN APPROPRIATIONS	$12,078.89
NET SCHOOL APPROPRIATION	80,046.56
COUNTY TAX ASSESSMENT	7,683.40
TOTAL OF TOWN, SCHOOL AND COUNTY	$99,808.85
Add War Service Credits	2,900.00
Add Overlay	550.67
PROPERTY TAXES TO BE RAISED	$103,259.52

Taxes Committed to Collector

Property Taxes	$103,259.52
Less War Service Tax Credit	2,900.00
Net Total Property Taxes	$100,359.52
1968 Poll Taxes at $2.00	594.00
National Bank Stock Tax	33.30
TOTAL TAXES TO BE COMMITTED	$100,986.82

TAX RATE $2.80 per hundred

Town	$ .42
County	.21
School	2.17
	$2.80

ASSETS

Cash on Hand Dec. 31, 1968	$20,622.23
Due from Tax Collector	15,415.46
Unredeemed Taxes	
Levy 1966	299.63
Levy 1967	363.08

Uncollected Head Taxes	400.00	
TOTAL ASSETS	$37,100.40	$37,100.40
LIABILITIES		
School District	$19,046.56	
Fire Well Appropriation	172.91	
Head Taxes, Uncollected	400.00	
Head Taxes, Collected, Not remitted to State	105.00	
TOTAL LIABILITIES	$19,724.47	19,724.47
Excess of Assets Over Liabilities		$17,375.93

SELECTMEN'S RECEIPTS

State Treasurer	
Recovery of Aid to Permanently Disabled	$1,217.04
Reimbursement for State Owned Land (taxes)	16.75
Reimbursement from Town Road Aid	1,665.31
Interest and Dividends Tax	995.12
Savings Bank Tax	389.49
Fire Training Refund	28.11
Meals and Rooms Tax Collection	1,395.94
Head Hax Expense Reimbursement	8.88
Refund Pine Blister Control Appropriation	1.30
Old Age Assistance Reimbursement	901.46
Tax Sales Redeemed	520.02
Sale of Checklist	1.00
Credit for Insurance, Bartlett Agency	13.10
Building Permits	20.00
Sale of Fire Nozzles, Town of Plaistow	75.00
Total Receipts	$7,243.52

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers Salaries	$2,651.00
Town Officers Expenses	1,422.49
Elections and Registrations	522.00
Town Hall and Other Town Buildings	1,053.39
Police Department	1,022.73
Red Network	372.00
Fire Protection	3,249.62
Pine Blister Control	150.00
Insurance	659.10
Civil Defense	170.76
Vital Statistics	16.00
Town Dump	500.00
Highways	
Summer Maintenance	2,201.65
Winter Maintenance	2,873.92

Town Road Aid	1,915.11
Street Lighting	74.04
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	787.65
Libraries	400.00
Old Age Assistance	2,064.62
Memorial Day	34.00
Cemeteries	389.36
Damages and Legal Expenses	130.40
Taxes Bought by Town	540.83
Tax Refunds	139.23
Bond and Debt Retirement	54.41
Special Appropriations	$1,526.84
Interest	50.56
Temporary Loans	4,949.44
County Tax	7,683.40
Head Tax Expense	1,964.00
School District	71,080.80
	$110,649.35

Town Officers Salaries

Eva L. Smith, Auditor	$ 12.00
Eleanor M. Moreau, Auditor	12.00
Richard Driggs, Treasurer	100.00
William Deady, Bookkeeper	100.00
Arline Rowell, Tax Collector	900.00
Richard Connelly, Selectman	200.00
Ernest Moreau, Selectman	300.00
Wesley Nickerson, Selectman	200.00
Edith Helme, Town Clerk	200.00
Registrations	627.00
	$2,651.00

Town Officers Expenses

Association of N. H. Assessors, Dues	$ 5.00

Dorothy J. Doyle, Treasurer, Town Clerk Association Dues	6.00
N. H. Municipal Aassociation, Dues	84.07
Edith Holland, Register, Transfer Cards	.72
Edson C. Eastman, Supplies	144.35
Wesley Nickerson, Delivery of Town Reports	15.00
Woodbury Press, Printing Town Reports	672.00
N. H. Tax Collector Ass'n., Dues	5.00
Richard F. Connelly, Postage	56.55
Ernest Moreau, Reimbursement for printing Sub-Division Regulations	20.00
Exeter Banking Co., Safety Deposit Box	5.00
Homestead Press, Printing Tax Bills	29.85
Edith Helme, Expenses for Town Clerk Con.	54.48
Richard Driggs, Reimbursement for cash spent for filing cabinet	13.27
Arline Rowell, Tax Collector's Ass'n. Meeting and Expenses	5.65
Treasurer, State of N. H. Ownership of Boat Reports	2.32
Lorraine M. Nickerson, Services Selectmen's Secretary	75.00
Richard Connelly, Selectman Expenses	10.00
Ernest Moreau, Selectman Expenses	75.00
Wesley Nickerson, Selectman Expenses	10.00
Edith M. Helme, Expenses	133.23
	$1,422.49

Election and Registrations

Exeter News Letter Co., Printing Ballots	$15.50
Eleanor Moreau, Meals at Election	58.50
Frederick Baker, Services at Elections	24.00
Lorraine Nickerson, " " "	24.00
Fred West, " " "	24.00
Elizabeth West, " " "	24.00
Dorothy Montrose " " "	24.00

Edith Helme,	"	"	"	24.00
Robert Donovan,	"	"	"	30.00
Wesley Nickerson,	"	"	"	24.00
Ernest Moreau,	"	"	"	24.00
Richard Connelly,	"	"	"	24.00
Helen M. Baker, Supervisor of Checklist				26.00
Hazel R. Hilliard, Supervisor of Checklist				54.00
Helen E. West, Supervisor of Checklist				68.00
Mary Radcliff, Supervisor of Checklist				54.00
				$522.00

Town Hall and Other Town Buildings

Walter S. Clark & Sons, Fuel	$ 303.77
Exeter & Hampton Electric, Electricity	177.23
Kalgas Inc., Gas	58.35
George F. Baker, Services and Supplies	86.50
A. Poggio, General Store, Supplies	16.34
Wentworth Lumber Co., Reglazing Windows	15.50
Fred G. Baker, Jan., Labor and Supplies	369.70
Francis L. M. Smith, Winding Clock	26.00
	$1,053.39

Police Department

Robert Vatcher, Time and Mileage	$ 39.63
Richard Atkinson, " " "	455.75
Joseph Perry, " " "	472.33
Mike's Gun Shop, Police Ammunition	16.70
Central Equipment Co., Police Badges	33.32
N. H. Association of Police Inc., Dues	5.00
	$1,022.73

Red Network

New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	372.00

Fire Protection Appropriation

Forestry:	
Richard A. Smith, Fire Warden Training Expenses	$ 82.80
Treasurer, State of N.H., Forest Fire Equip.	91.82
Volunteer Firemen's Assosiation:	
Reimbursement for bills paid out of Association Money	954.03
George Baker, Supplies	7.64
Kalgas Inc.	139.32
New England Tel. & Tel.	103.45
Exeter & Hampton Electric	39.81
A. Poggio General Store, Gasoline	173.26
Interstate Emergency Unit Mutual Aid, Dues	2.00
Charles H. Clougherty, Supplies	105.55
Frost's Garage, Repairs to Trucks	449.41
DeMerritt Agency, Insurance	352.00
Smith's Fire Equipment, Supplies	5.75
Lloyd M. Currier, Radio Repairs	14.50
Ernest A. Goudreau, Repairs to Truck	3.00
James A. Rosencrantz, Equipment	189.95
Fire Dept. Truck Fund	535.33
	$3,249.62

Blister Rust Control

State of N. H.	$150.00

Insurance

Elwell-Collishaw Agency	$119.00
DeMerritt Agency Inc.	138.00
Bartlett Insurance Agency	402.10
	$659.10

Civil Defense

E. Throndike Blanchard, Expenses	$ 26.52
Graham Radio Inc.	144.24
	$170.76

Vital Statistics

Edith M. Helme	$16.00

Town Dump

Town of Kingston	$500.00

Highways

Summer Maintenance

Wesley Colby, Labor	$ 70.00
Adam J. Mazur, Jr., Truck & Labor	343.50
Iafolla Construction, Dura Patch	157.00
Trimount Bituminous Products Co.	652.16
Kimball Farm, Truck & Labor	978.99
	$2,201.65

Winter Maintenance

Richard Connelly, Truck & Labor	$ 92.50
John L. Connelly, Equipment & Labor	1,419.50
Chester E. Bearce, Truck & Labor	139.50
Adam J. Mazur, Jr., Truck & Labor	1,024.13
Granite State Minerals Inc., Road Salt	198.29
	$2,873.92

General Expenses of Highway

Norman Freeman, Labor	$ 5.50
Adam Mazur, Jr., Truck & Labor	264.75
Wesley Nickerson, Jr., Labor	$ 5.00

Louis Quintal, Cutting Brush	95.00
McClain Power Equipment, Gravel	20.00
Henry Lewandowski, Jr., Labor	133.20
Exeter Lumber Co., Supplies	41.60
Koppers Co., Inc., Fence Posts	117.50
David Boudreau, Labor	95.10
Richard Connelly, Labor	10.00
	$787.65

Town Road Aid

Treasurer, State of N. H.	$1,915.11

Street Lighting

Exeter & Hampton Electric	$74.04

Libraries

Ruth Joslin, Treasurer	$300.00
Hazel Hilliard, Librarian	100.00
	$400.00

Old Age Assistance

State of N. H.	$1,119.16
Rockingham Home and Hospital	930.46
L. E. & A. H. Stevens	15.00
	$2,064.62

Memorial Day

Francis L. M. Smith, Flags and Labor	$29.00
Dot's Flower Shop, Wreath	5.00
	$34.00

Cemeteries

Lewis B. Tilton, Care of Union Cemetery	$ 75.00
Francis L. M. Smith, Care of Hillside and Old Cemeteries	314.36
	$389.36

Damages and Legal Expenses

Perkins, Holland and Donovan	$ 50.50
Exeter Veterinary Hospital	34.00
Joseph R. Perry	19.00
Dr. Eric Simmons	12.00
Richard Atkinson	14.90
	$130.40

Taxes Bought by Town

Arline Rowell, Collector	$540.83

Tax Refunds

Herbert L. Novell	$ 6.23
Austin Carter	105.00
Dorothy M. Roberts	28.00
	$139.23

Bond and Debt Retirement

State Treasurer	$54.41

Special Appropriations

John W. Durgin, Engineering Services	$ 25.00
Exeter Visiting Nurse Association	984.00
Lorraine Nickerson, Assisting State Appraiser	14.00
Treasurer, State of N. H., Reappraisal of	

Property	503.84
	$1,526.84

Interest

Rockingham National Bank	$50.56

Temporary Loans

Rockingham National Bank	$4,949.44

Payment to Other Government Divisions

Winston H. Lothrop, County Treasurer	$7,683.40
State Treasurer, Head Tax Collection	1,774.50
Arline Rowell, Paid by State	56.85
Ernest Moreau, " " "	44.22
Richard Connelly " " "	44.22
Wesley Nickerson " " "	44.21
	$9,647.40

School District

Catherine Gallagher, Treasurer	$71,080.80
TOTAL PAYMENTS	$110,649.35

January 16, 1969

We have this day examined the accounts of the Selectmen and find them properly cast and vouched for.

ELEANOR M. MOREAU
EVA L. SMITH
Auditors

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

East Kingston, N.H.
December 31, 1968

RECEIPTS

Motor Vehicle Permits			
1967	21	$ 177.59	
1968	610	7,160.41	
1969	1	32.28	
			$7,370.28
Dog Licenses			
1967	1	$ 2.00	
1968	117	267.00	
Kennel	1	25.00	
Penalties	62	63.00	
		$357.00	
119 Licenses at .20		23.80	
			333.20
Filing Fees		$7.00	
			7.00
Total Receipts			$7,710.48

PAYMENTS

Paid Treasurer:	
Auto Permits	$7,370.28
Dog Licenses	333.20
Filing Fees	7.00
	$7,710.48

EDITH M. HELME,
Town Clerk

January 16, 1969

We have this day examined the accounts of the Town Clerk and found them properly cast and vouched for.

ELEANOR M. MOREAU,
EVA L. SMITH
Auditors

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

SUMMARY OF WARRANT
PROPERTY & POLL TAXES
LEVY OF 1968

DR.

Taxes Committed to Collector:		
Property Taxes	$100, 359.52	
Poll Taxes	594.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	33.30	
Total Warrant		$100,986.82
Added Taxes:		
Poll Taxes		12.00
Interest Collected:		
Property Tax Interest	$12.83	
Poll Tax Interest	.06	
		12.89
TOTAL DEBITS		$101,011.71

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer:		
Property Taxes	$85,076.06	
Poll Taxes	464.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes	33.30	
Interest Collected	12.89	
		$85,586.25
Abatements:		
Poll Taxes		10.00
Uncollected Taxes — As per Collector's List:		

Property Taxes	$15,283.46	
Poll Taxes	132.00	
		15,415.46
TOTAL CREDITS		$101,011.71

December 31, 1968

ARLINE ROWELL,
Collector

SUMMARY OF TAX SALES ACCOUNTS

AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1968

—DR.—

	Tax Sale on/acct of Levies of:		
	1967	1966	1965
(a) Taxes Sold to Town During Current Fiscal Year (1968)	$536.39		
(b) Balance of Unredeemed Taxes, Jan. 1, 1968, from Prev.		$530.90	$78.60
Int. Collected after Sale	1.30	17.26	9.40
Notices to Mortgagees (@ 1.48 ea.)	4.44	4.44	.....
TOTAL DEBITS	$542.13	$552.60	$88.00

—CR.—

Remittances to Town—Selectmen During Year	$176.09	$250.01	$88.00
Notices to Mortgagees (2 @ 1.48 ea.)	2.96	2.96	.....
Unredeemed Taxes at Close of Yr.	363.08*	299.63*	.....
TOTAL CREDITS	$542.13	$552.60	$88.00

*(includes 1 Not. to Mtgee.)

(a) Includes total amount of Taxes, Interest and costs to date of sale.

(b) Includes balances of Unredeemed Taxes, as of beginning of fiscal year, January 1, 1968, from Tax Sales of previous years.

UNREDEEMED TAXES FROM TAX SALES ON ACCOUNT OF LEVIES OF:

	1967	1966	1965
Bakie, John	$ 9.63	$ 8.83	.....
**Clement, Boyce L. & Dorothy A.	351.97	289.32	.....

Notice to Mortgagee	1.48	1.48	.....
TOTAL UNREDEEMED TAXES	$363.08	$299.63	.....

(**$200.00 in escrow in Collector's bank account toward redemption of Clement 1966 Tax Sale)

December 31, 1968

ARLINE ROWELL
Collector

January 16, 1968

We have this day examined the accounts of the Tax Collector and found them properly cast and vouched for.

ELEANOR M. MOREAU
EVA L. SMITH
Auditors

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

PROPERTY & POLL TAXES

LEVY OF 1967

DR.

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1968:		
Property Taxes	$12,458.68	
Poll Taxes, Orig. Warrant	131.00	
Added Poll Taxes	8.00	
		$12,597.68
Interest collected during Fiscal Year ended December 31, 1968		
Property Tax	356.23	
Poll Tax	2.10	
		358.33
TOTAL DEBITS		$12,956.01

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer during Fiscal Year ended December 31, 1968:		
Property Tax	$12,458.68	
Poll Taxes	139.00	
Interest Collected during yr.	358.33	
TOTAL CREDITS		$12,956.01

December 31, 1968

ARLINE ROWELL,
Collector

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

STATE HEAD TAX

LEVY OF 1968

DR.

State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:		
Original Warrant	$1,850.00	
Added Taxes	40.00	
Total Commitment		$1,890.00
Penalties Collected		8.50
TOTAL DEBITS		$1,898.50

CR.

Remittance to Treasurer:		
Head Taxes	$1,470.00	
Penalties	8.50	
		$1,478.50
Abatements During 1968:		20.00
Uncollected Head Taxes, as per Collector's List		400.00
TOTAL CREDITS		$1,898.50

December 31, 1968

ARLINE ROWELL,
Collector

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

STATE HEAD TAX

LEVY OF 1967

DR.

Uncollected as of Jan. 1, 1968	$390.00	
Added Taxes During 1968	20.00	
Penalties collected During 1968	40.00	
TOTAL DEBITS		$450.00

CR.

Remittances to Treasurer During 1968:		
Head Taxes	$410.00	
Penalties	40.00	
TOTAL CREDITS		$450.00

December 31, 1968

ARLINE ROWELL,
Collector

TREASURER'S REPORT

East Kingston, N. H.

December 31, 1968

RECEIPTS

January 1, 1968, Balance on hand		$10,897.38
Tax Collector:		
1967 Poll tax	$ 139.00	
1967 Poll tax interest	2.10	
1967 Head tax	410.00	
1967 Head tax penalties	40.00	
1967 Property tax	12,458.68	
1967 Property tax interest	356.23	
1968 Poll tax	464.00	
1968 Poll tax interest	.06	
1968 Head tax	1,470.00	
1968 Head tax penalties	8.50	
1968 Property tax	85,076.06	
1968 Property tax interest	12.83	
1968 National Bank stock tax	33.30	
		100,470.76
Town Clerk:		
Auto permits	7,370.28	
Dog licenses	333.20	
Filing fees	7.00	
		7,710.48
Selectmen:		
Tax sales redeemed	520.02	
Building permits	20.00	
Refund OAA	901.46	
Tax state owned land	16.75	
Sale of checklist	1.00	
Reimbursement TRA	1,665.31	

Interest and dividend tax	995.12	
Savings bank tax	384.49	
Refund forest fire training	28.11	
Credit to insurance	13.10	
Sale of fire equipment	75.00	
Meals and room tax collection	1,395.94	
Refund APTD	1,217.04	
Reimbursement head tax collection	8.88	
Reimbursement white pine blister rust fund	1.30	
		7,243.52
Rockingham National Bank, Tax note		4,949.44
Total Receipts		$131,271.58

PAYMENTS

By order of Selectmen	$110,649.35
Balance on hand, December 31, 1968	$ 20,622.23

January 16, 1969

We have this day examined the accounts of the Treasurer and found them properly cast and vouched for.

ELEANOR M. MOREAU
EVA L. SMITH
Auditors

Report of East Kingston Public Library

December 31, 1968

Whole number of books		2,123
Number of books discarded		33
Number of books added,		
Non-fiction	10	
Adult fiction	15	
Juvenile fiction	10	
20 Volume set of "The World Book Encyclopedia"		
1 Collier's Year Book		
Total added	56	
Number of cards issued		15
Number of times opened		49
Number of magazines loaned		134
Number of books loaned:		
Non-fiction	128	
Adult fiction	394	
Juvenile fiction	894	
Total number of books and magazines loaned		1,550
Number of books borrowed from the State Bookmobile:		
Fiction	44	
Non-fiction	47	
Juvenile fiction	231	
Total		322

Gifts received:

Subscription to "The Wild Life Magazine" from Mrs. George Hinman.

Books from Mrs. John Radcliff.

Hazel R. Hilliard
Librarian

East Kingston, N.H.
December 31, 1968

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1968	$ 51.00
Received from Selectmen 3-68	300.00
	$ 351.00

EXPENDITURES

Jan. 17 Jack & Jill Magazine	$ 10.00
Feb. 7 Profiles Magazine (3 yrs.)	12.00
April 19 N.H. State Treas. (dep. to credit)	100.00
May 1 Colliers Year Book	4.75
May 1 Readers Digest	3.97
May 1 Good Housekeeping Magazine	5.00
Oct. 24 N.H. State Treas. (dep. to credit)	100.00
Nov. 20 Hazel Hilliard (petty cash)	5.00
	$ 240.72
Dec. 31 Cash on hand	$ 110.28
	$ 351.00

January 16, 1969

We have this day examined the account of the Library Trustees and find them properly cast and vouched for.

Eva L. Smith
Eleanor M. Moreau
Auditors

Report of Hillside and Old Cemetery

Cash on hand Jan. 1st, 1968	$1,904.37
Cemetery Appropriations	314.36
8 Burials	80.00
1 Cemetery Lot	25.00
From Trust Funds	832.00
In Trust, Rockingham National Bank	60.23
	$3,215.96

EXPENDITURES

Richard Palmer	$ 277.50	
Raymond Lamb	224.00	
Francis Smith	552.75	
John Perkins (Lawn mower repair)	28.90	
Merrimack Farmers Exchange	17.39	
	$1,100.54	
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1968		$2,115.42

FRANCIS L. M. SMITH
RICHARD E. PALMER
ARCHIE D. OSMOND
Committee

January 16, 1969

We have this day examined the account of the Cemetery Committee and find them properly cast and vouched for.

ELEANOR M. MOREAU
EVA L. SMITH

Report of Town Meeting

East Kingston, N.H.
March 12, 1968

The Annual Town Meeting was called to order at 2:00 P.M. by the Moderator, Robert B. Donovan. The Warrant was read, the voters ordered to bring in ballots for Town Officers.

Total number of ballots cast: 195

ARTICLE 1.

		Votes
Town Clerk	Edith M. Helme	190
Selectman for 3 yrs.	Wesley S. Nickerson	185
	J. Radcliff	1
Treasurer	Richard E. Driggs	184
Tax Collector	Arline L. Rowell	188
Road Agent	John Connolly	172
	Andrew Iamele	2
	Ray Lamb	1
Auditors	Eleanor Moreau	177
	Eva L. Smith	171
Trustee of Public Library (3 yrs.)	Ruth Joslin	182
Trustee of Trust Funds (3 yrs.)	John Radcliff	14
	William Deady	5
	Nathaniel Rowell	4
	Frederic Smith	3
	Arnold O'Brien	2
	Robert Donovan	2
	Eva L. Smith	2

11 names with 1 vote each

Edith M. Helme, Wesley S. Nickerson, Richard E. Driggs, Arline L. Rowell, John Connolly, Eleanor

Moreau, Eva L. Smith, Ruth Joslin and Frederic Smith were duly elected and took oath of office.

ARTICLE 2. Motion by Wesley Nickerson and seconded that the town raise and appropriate the sum of $9454.11 to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same. Motion by E. Thorndike Blanchard and seconded that the motion be amended to add $75.00 to the appropriation of $100.00 for civil defense to allow purchase of a radio for races network.

(Voted Yes)

ARTICLE 3. Motion by Richard Connelly and seconded that the town vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money in anticipation of taxes.

(Voted Yes)

ARTICLE 4. Motion by Robert Belcher and seconded that the town raise and appropriate the sum of $3000.00 for the maintenance of the Fire Department, and any surplus not used for maintenance be set aside for a fire truck fund.

(Voted Yes)

ARTICLE 5. Motion by Richard Smith and seconded that the town raise and appropriate the sum of $250.00 for Forest Fire Department to purchase needed equipment.

(Voted Yes)

ARTICLE 6. Motion by Richard Connelly and seconded that the town raise and appropriate the sum of $249.80 against the State appropriation of $1665.31 for Class V road assistance.

(Voted Yes)

ARTICLE 7. Motion by Ernest Moreau and seconded that the town raise and appropriate the sum of $150.00 to be used in conjunction with the State and Federal Funds for the control of White Pine Blister Rust in woodlands.

(Voted Yes)

ARTICLE 8. Motion by Walter Evans and seconded that Article 8 be tabled.

(Voted Yes)

Motion by Francis Smith and seconded that we recess for the School Meeting at 7:50 P.M.

(Voted Yes)

Town Meeting resumed at 8 P.M.

ARTICLE 9. Motion by Ernest Moreau and seconded that the town raise and appropriate the sum of $984.00 to buy Visiting Nurse services for the inhabitants of East Kingston from the Medicare certified Exeter Visiting Nurse Association and send one representative to serve on the Board of said Association.

Original motion amended to include motion that the Board of Selectmen select one representative to serve on the Board of said Association.

(Voted Yes)

ARTICLE 10. Motion by Wesley Nickerson and seconded that the town authorize the Selectmen to purchase insurance to cover the Town Police Department while on duty. Necessary funds to be taken from cash on hand.

(Voted Yes)

ARTICLE 11. Motion by Ernest Moreau and seconded that the Town accept the reports of the Town Officers and Auditors as printed in the Town

Reports. Original motion to be accepted after the following corrections to the Town Reports: Joseph Perry added to Police Department; Page 11—Vol. Fire Association $3000.00; Page 44—Report of Fire Calls April 14th Harold Sorenson (grass fire), April 25th, Harris, South Rd. (grass fire).

(Voted Yes)

ARTICLE 12. Moderator suggested we hear the report on the dogs, the Committee having been appointed last Town Meeting. The following is the report from Mrs. Farr, Chairman of the committee:

Knowing as I did that the viewpoints of Mr. Lewandowski and Mr. Boudreau were diametrically opposed to my own, and knowing that little can be accomplished by a committee pulling in opposite directions, I decided not to call any committee meetings at all, but to conduct the investigation on my own.

I spoke with people in all walks of life about the dog problem. I read newspaper accounts of towns which had passed leash laws, in some of which the laws were not enforced because the people refused to appropriate the money needed for such enforcement.

I discovered that a leash law is not the answer I was seeking. Just as any law prohibiting certain human behavior, such as stealing, is ignored by those people it is intended to restrain; so a leash law will be obesrved by those who care for their dogs and who have trained them to be well-behaved; it will be ignored by those whose dogs most need restraining.

Recently I was told that the state legislature had, in the last session, rewritten the law concerning the restraining of dogs. This law now states very clearly the actions to be taken by the city or town officials when a complaint is made, and describes ex-

plicitly those conditions under which a dog is considered a menace or a nuisance.

I submit a copy of this statute, and ask that it be read into the minutes of this town meeting, in order that RSA 466:31 Session Laws 1967:294 be published in the town report for 1968 so that all the peole of East Kingston may be aware of its contents.

My recommendation, therefore, is that the people of East Kingston utilize this expanded statute, and that the town's selectmen and policemen enforce it as required by law."

New Hampshire Revised Statutes Annotated, Volume 4, 1967. Supplement Title XLV Chapter 466 Dogs Section 31.

I. Any person who considers a dog to be causing a nuisance or to be a menace to persons or property may make complaint to any law enforcement officer or to the selectmen of the town in which such dog is kept, and such officers shall, within three days after the receipt of such complaint, investigate the case and, if the complaint is sustained, shall forthwith order the owner or keeper of such dog to abate the nuisance. Service of such order shall be made upon the owner or keeper of such dog by causing a certified copy of such order to be delivered to him. Any owner or keeper upon whom notice of such order has been served, may, within ten days thereafter, bring a petition in the municipal or district court for the town or city, as the case may be, praying that the order be reviewed by the court. After notice to the investigating officers, and upon hearing the court shall affirm, modify or dismiss such order, as justice may require. During the pendency of such action and the order of the justice of the court, the owner or keeper of such dog shall restrain such dog from running at large. Any person who neglects to restrain such dog from running at large, in compliance with

orders hereunder shall be fined not more than twenty-five dollars, the dog taken into custody by the police of the city or constable of the town and such disposition made of the dog as the court may order.

II. Under this section, a dog is causing a nuisance or is a menace to persons or property under any of the following conditions: (a) if it barks continuously for sustained periods of time; (b) while it runs at large on the streets or on property other than its owners', it turns over garbage cans or waste containers, or otherwise causes garbage or waste to be scattered in yards or on streets or sidewalks; (c) while it runs at large it barks at or snaps at or runs after persons walking on sidewalks or streets, or at persons riding bicycles on sidewalks or streets; (d) while it runs at large it barks at or runs after motor vehicles being driven along the streets; (e) while it runs at large it gathers in packs with other dogs and runs with the pack after game, domestic animals, or human beings; (f) while running at large it digs or scratches in gardens or around cultivated areas, so as to uproot or destroy the growing plants, shrubs, or trees; (g) while in heat is unconfined.

Motion by Mary Kelley and seconded we accept the report as read.

(Voted Yes)

Motion by Walter Evans and seconded that the Trustees of Trust Funds together with the Town Counsel determine the proper procedure whereby a portion of the surplus accumulation of Trust Funds may be used for general maintenance of any and all Town Cemeteries, and report back to the Selectmen prior to the next session of the Legislature, so that proper bills may be filed there if this action should be necessary.

(Voted Yes)

Motion by Wesley Nickerson and seconded that the balance of $30.00 from special appropriations for police radio be transferred to general funds.

(Voted Yes)

Moderator entertained a motion that we return to Article 1 for counting the ballots and close the meeting.

Motion by Richard Atkinson and seconded that we close the meeting. Meeting closed at 8:45 P.M.

(Voted Yes)

Edith M. Helme
Town Clerk

Accidents	18
Complaints	65
Summons served (for out-of-state depts.)	6
Court cases	10
House breaks	9
Burglaries	4
Persons taken to jail	4
Fire calls	3
Dog calls	8
Total man-hours worked	404
Total miles driven	2,828

The police department would like to thank the people of the town for their support during 1968.

There has been a substantial increase in activity in the town of East Kingston. This is due to the increase of traffic on our roads and growth of our community.

The support to the police department by the residents of our town is essential to efficient law enforcement.

We look forward to your continued support in the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD H. ATKINSON
Chief of Police

East Kingston Police Association

The East Kingston Police Association has been holding monthly raffle drawings during the past year. With the proceeds we have purchased the following equipment:

3 . . . PA-15 12 volt electric sirens
1 . . . Motorola two-way police radio
3 . . . Blue revolving patrol car lights
1M . . . Docket slips
1M . . . Violation slips

at a total cost of $1,290.65. These items have been presented to the Town of East Kingston.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH R. PERRY
Secretary-Treasurer

East Kingston Police
Association

People cause fires. Our records show that the number of fires increase in an area as the population increases and our state is growing tremendously. This means that we all must be aware of fire causes and do our best to prevent their occurrence.

When we are very young the lighted match is an adventure, burnt fingers and a dropped match is another fire. A little older we like to have a woodland cookout, or go out by ourselves for a smoke but fire and forests get together for another statistic. We adults like to clean up in the spring, burn the old debris and the dead grass, result — escaped fires and much personal expense.

With new homes and summer cottages located in woodlands and with abandoned fields and forests crowding the back yard of our villages' streets, it is necessary that everyone be aware all through the fire season, which comes with the disappearance of snow, of the need to be careful with outdoor fires and fire sources.

The following action will help:

1. To teach our children the danger of lighted matches.
2. To ***never*** discard lighted smoking material from a car or while walking through fields or woods.
3. To safely dispose of rubbish preferably at the town dump. If you must burn—
   a. You need a written permit from the town fire warden for ***all*** debris burning except

when the ground is covered with snow. Cooking fires in outdoor fireplaces or in charcoal brasiers in your own back yard is permitted on notification of the warden.

b. The warden is forbidden by regulation to allow burning of household rubbish on grass by householders between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

c. Have equipment on hand to control the fire before you light the match.

4. Promptly report any fire out of control to your fire warden or fire department.

Help to keep our town out of the fire occurrence column and save your tax dollar for useful purposes.

Forest fire record for 1968:

	Number of Fires	Woodland acres burned
State	593	349
District	119	197
East Kingston	4	1

Issued 74 Fire Permits 18 Barrel Permits —
Answered 14 smoke calls

RALPH STEVENS
District Chief

RICHARD SMITH
Warden

Report of Fire Calls for 1968

Date	Location of Fire	Type of Fire
January		
1	Newton	Mutual Aid Call
13	Ray Morin	Dryer Motor
28	Bernard Merrick	Furnace Pipe
March		
31	South Hampton	Woods
April		
6	Sargents Mill	House Trailer
8	Exeter	Woods
8	Fred Hennessey's	Brush-No Permit
9	Richard Brailsford	Woods
20	Boston & Maine Depot	Railroad Eng.
21	Ferruolo-Newton	Barn
May		
2	Giles Road	Grass along tracks
2	Sanborn Road	Grass & Brush along tracks
7	Finches - So. Road	Grass
8	Avery Path, Rt. 108	Woods
15	Newton	Mutual Aid Call
25	Newton	Covered Stations
June		
25	Route 108	Car Fire
July		
4	Brentwood	Covered Station
23	Brentwood	Barn Fire
August		
3	Bill McCoy	Smoke in house
September		
9	Route 108	Car Fire
30	Giles Road	False Alarm

October		
16	Newton	Barn Fire
17	Powwow	Tower called in smoke
26	Old Buzzell Home	Starting furnace
30	Kingston	Wiggin Hall
November		
14	Bartletts - Powwow	Chair afire
December		
18	Lindsey	Chimney
26	Newton	House-Mutual Aid
29	N. Freemans	Natural Gas LeaK

We had a Fire Training Course by a state instructor. The course was actual fire extinguishment procedure. The course was four weeks long.

Held 24 training meetings, total 180 hours.

Held a Firemen's Field Day.

Sponsored a Boy Scout Troop.

Entered Five Parades.

Winning one trophy.

Burned 20 acres on request. Someone is in the fire house every day of the year to make sure that the equipment is ready for immediate use.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT M. BELCHER
Chief
East Kingston Fire Dept.

TRUST FUNDS

Report of Trustees of Trust Funds for Year Ending December 31, 1968

Part 1

DATE OF CREATION	PURPOSE OF CREATION Name of Fund	HOW INVESTED	Bal. of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Bal. Income on Hand at End of Year
1855	Jeremiah Morrill, School Fund	61 Shares, New England Electric System	$	$ 90.28	$ 90.28	$
1939	Currier-Svensen, Cemetery Fund H	6 Shares American Tel. & Tel. Co.		*5.21		
1954	Eva L. Philbrick, Memorial Fund	Exeter Co-operative Bank $250.00	106.29	14.40	13.00	112.90
1958	C. Scliris, Cemetery Fund H	Exeter Co-operative Bank $150.00	78.15	13.94	58.18	33.91
1958	Scliris-Yeaton, Cemetery Fund H	Exeter Co-operative Bank $150.00	29.48	8.37	12.00	25.85
1960	Anson J. Cole, Cemetery Fund H	Exeter Banking Co. $200.00	29.49	8.37	10.00	27.86
1963	Howard S. Webster, Cemetery Fund H	Exeter Co-operative Bank $100.00	12.30	8.58	9.00	11.88
1963	Lewis A. Ladd, Cemetery Fund H	Exeter Co-operative Bank $100.00	6.56	4.95	4.50	7.01
1964	Clarence W. Frost, Cemetery Fund H	Exeter Co-operative Bank $100.00	5.90	4.96	4.50	6.36
			6.66	4.96	4.50	7.12

1964	Baldwin-Tootell, Cemetery Fund H	Exeter Co-operative Bank $100.00	3.96	4.83	4.50	4.29
1964	Rowell-Symms, Cemetery Fund H	Exeter Co-operative Bank $100.00	3.96	4.84	4.50	4.30
1964	Fred Blake, Cemetery Fund H	Exeter Co-operative Bank $100.00	3.93	4.82	4.50	4.25
1964	Guppy-Richardson, Cemetery Fund H	Exeter Co-operative Bank $100.00	3.93	4.82	4.50	4.25
1965	Dr. C. H. Sanfort, Cemetery Fund H-GH	Exeter Co-operative Bank $200.00**	1.62	6.29	5.00	2.91
1966	Sarah Peck, Cemetery Fund H	Exeter Co-operative Bank $100.00	1.14	4.71	4.00	1.85
1966	John W. Webster, Cemetery Fund H	Exeter Co-operative Bank $150.00	2.22	7.09	6.20	3.11
1967	Albert W. Place, Cemetery Fund H-GH	Exeter Co-operative Bank $150.00	2.80	7.11	2.80	7.11
1968 June 17	Holmes-Roby-George, Cemetery Fund H-GH	Exeter Co-operative Bank $200.00		1.58		1.58
1968 Sept. 4	Timothy E. Rolfe, Cemetery Fund H	Exeter Co-operative Bank $100.00				

*Income from C.T.F. unexpended income account
H Care of Lot in Hillside Cemetery
H-GH Care of Lot in Hillside Cemetery; any excess may be used for general care
**$100.00 added to this account 5/9/68

Report of Individual Funds Invested in Common Trust Fund

Part II

		PRINCIPAL			INCOME				
Date of Creation	Name of Fund * * * * *	Amount of Principal Beginning Year	Capital Gains Dividend	Balance End of Year	Bal. of Income on Hand at Beginning Year	Interest on Unexpended Income	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Bal. Income on Hand at End of Year
1855	Jeremiah Morrill, Sc	$ 5,337.09	$100.54	$ 5,437.63	$ .31	$ .02	$ 221.80	$ 222.13	$
1882	Elizabeth Towle, Sc	5,065.36	95.42	5,160.78	.30	.02	210.48	210.80	
1903	O. S. Currier, oCL	258.29	4.86	263.15	68.94	3.38	10.72	10.00	73.04
1910	Irwin Kimbal, uCL	258.29	4.86	263.15	31.32	1.53	10.72	12.00	31.57
1915	Ann McGowin, uCL	258.29	4.86	263.15	59.20	2.90	10.72	10.00	62.82
1917	Sarah L. Currier, CL	258.29	4.86	263.15	34.47	1.69	10.72	10.00	36.88
1919	Emeline Buswell, CL	150.95	2.84	153.79	8.57	.42	6.26	6.00	9.25
1920	Franklin Case, CL	258.29	4.86	263.15	34.06	1.67	10.72	10.00	36.45
1921	Thomas Heath, CL	516.53	9.71	526.24	83.49	4.09	21.44	10.00	99.02
1922	Emeline Morrill, CL	258.29	4.86	263.15	34.98	1.71	10.72	10.00	37.41
1925	William Titcomb, CL	387.43	7.28	394.71	78.78	3.86	16.08	15.00	83.72
1925	Stephen Sanborn, CL	387.43	7.28	394.71	84.55	4.14	16.08	15.00	89.77
1925	H. J. Shirley, CL	258.29	4.86	263.15	29.17	1.43	10.72	10.00	31.32
1925	Wilbur & Carter, CL	516.53	9.71	526.24	95.07	4.66	21.44	15.00	106.17
1925	Joseph F. Kimball, CL	516.53	9.71	526.24	129.90	6.37	21.44	15.00	142.71
1927	Alcena Morrill, uCL	258.29	4.86	263.15	119.45	5.85	10.72	10.00	126.02

1927	Joseph C. Sargent, CL	258.29	4.86	263.15	30.87	1.51	10.72	10.00	33.10
1928	Lyman Greely, uCL	387.43	7.28	394.71	82.77	4.06	16.08	12.00	90.91
1929	George F. Morrill, aCL	258.29	4.86	263.15	78.85	3.86	10.72	10.00	83.43
1929	Helena Robinson, CL	1,087.65	20.47	1,108.12	308.25	15.10	45.14	30.00	338.49
1929	Alice P. Tucker, CL	258.29	4.86	263.15	27.48	1.35	10.72	10.00	29.55
1930	Fannie Sanborn, uCL	509.71	9.60	519.31	139.47	6.83	21.15	12.00	155.45
1932	Mary E. Broadbent, CL	258.29	4.86	263.15	33.29	1.63	10.72	10.00	35.64
1933	Annie L. Lawrence, bCL	258.29	4.86	263.15	66.17	3.24	10.72	10.00	70.13
1934	Abbie A. Batchelder, CL	516.53	9.71	526..24	115.30	5.65	21.44	20.00	122.39
1934	Etta E. Sawyer, GH	2,582.85	48.62	2,631.47	344.03	16.86	107.21	80.00	388.10
1935	Samuel Harris, uCL	258.29	4.86	263.15	53.91	2.64	10.72	12.00	55.27
1935	Fred Peaslee, CL	258.29	4.86	263.15	38.11	1.87	10.72	10.00	40.70
1937	George B. Webster, uCL	258.29	4.86	263.15	34.97	1.71	10.72	12.00	35.40
1938	Eben E. Bowley, CL	258.29	4.86	263.15	85.09	4.17	10.72	10.00	89.98
1938	Flora Allen Currier, CL	258.29	4.86	263.15	31.36	1.54	10.72	10.00	33.62
1938	Annie M. Buswell, cCL	258.29	4.86	263.15	57.54	2.82	10.72	10.00	61.08
1938	H. W. & S. H. Atwood, bCL	258.29	4.86	263.15	66.92	3.28	10.72	10.00	70.92
1940	Daniel M. Evans, CL	258.29	4.86	263.15	35.13	1.73	10.72	10.00	37.58
1941	Alwyn W. Greely, CL	377.43	7.30	384.73	67.54	3.41	15.66	12.00	74.61
1943	Georgia Mills, uCL	245.71	4.62	250.33	53.72	2.63	10.20	9.00	57.55
1944	Charles K. Webster, uCL	244.94	4.59	249.53	21.83	1.07	10.17	12.00	21.07
1945	Moses Swett, CL	242.72	4.55	247.27	32.05	1.57	10.07	10.00	33.69
1945	William H. Nelson, uCL	370.36	6.96	377.32	69.12	3.39	15.37	12.00	75.88
1946	M. Smith & E. Bell, CL	241.24	4.53	245.77	34.11	1.67	10.01	10.00	35.79
1946	E. G. W. Currier, CL	241.24	4.53	245.77	26.34	1.29	10.01	10.00	27.64
1946	John E. Gale,* CL-GH	5,166.82	97.24	5,264.04	579.74	28.39	214.43	100.00	722.56
1946	Charles L. Philbrick, CL	984.29	18.53	1,002.82	320.94	15.73	40.85	20.00	357.52
1946	Charles W. Dow, eCL	480.87	9.04	489.91	122.13	5.98	19.96	15.00	133.07

Report of Individual Funds Invested in Common Trust Fund (Cont'd.)
Part II

		PRINCIPAL			INCOME				
Date of Creation	Name of Fund * * * * *	Amount of Principal Beginning Year	Capital Gains From Sales	Balance End of Year	Bal. of Income on Hand at Beginning Year	Interest on Unexpended Income	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Bal. Income on Hand at End of Year
1947	Jacob Sanborn, CL	239.72	4.50	244.22	25.43	1.25	9.95	10.00	26.63
1950	Wood & Gilmore, CL	258.29	4.86	263.15	42.50	2.08	10.72	10.00	45.30
1951	Guy Warren, CL	258.29	4.86	263.15	34.76	1.70	10.72	10.00	37.18
1951	Flower & Pushee, 2L	516.53	9.71	526.24	94.92	4.65	21.44	20.00	101.01
1952	Samuel C. Blaisdel, CL	516.53	9.71	526.24	127.22	6.23	21.44	15.00	139.89
1953	Josephine M. Knights, uCL	755.27	14.22	769.49	358.78	17.58	31.35	10.00	397.71
1953	Frank D. Lawrence, dCL	755.27	14.22	769.49	234.84	11.51	-31.35	20.00	257.70
1953	Alice Dow French, uCL	503.51	9.47	512.98	140.09	6.86	20.90	12.00	155.85
1953	Joseph H. Robbins, CL	502.98	9.46	512.44	132.00	6.47	20.87	15.00	144.34
1956	John M. Sanborn, CL	238.71	4.49	243.20	25.05	1.23	9.91	10.00	26.19
1956	John Hoyt, CL	238.71	4.49	243.20	27.52	1.35	9.91	10.00	28.78
1956	J. M. T. Richardson, CL	344.77	6.48	351.25	60.17	2.95	14.31	15.00	62.43
1957	E. Pratt & R. Buswell, cCL	229.89	4.32	234.21	39.36	1.93	9.54	10.00	40.83
1957	Bowley & Robbins, CL	221.93	4.17	226.10	25.23	1.24	9.21	9.00	26.68
1959	Adelaide Barrett, aCL	161.83	3.05	164.88	16.32	.80	6.72	6.00	17.84
1959	Crowell & Bailey, CL	161.83	3.05	164.88	7.63	.37	6.72	6.00	8.72

1960	Griffith & Brown, CL	156.38	2.95	159.33	16.55	.81	6.49	6.00	17.85
1961	Alcide E. Mirron, CL	150.23	2.83	153.06	6.43	.30	6.23	6.00	6.96
1963	Minnie Lawrence, dCL	125.61	2.37	127.98	8.18	.40	5.21	5.00	8.79
1963	Aaron Gale, eCL	125.61	2.37	127.98	7.87	.39	5.21	5.00	8.47
1963	Leslie E. Webster, CL	125.61	2.37	127.98	2.55	.12	5.21	5.00	2.88
1963	Alonzo W. Brown, CL	62.83	1.19	64.02	1.25	.06	2.61	2.50	1.42
		$38,632.02	$727.26	$39,359.32	$5,284.24	$259.00	$1,603.91	$1,306.43	$5,840.72

Principal of Funds Invested
****** Purpose of Fund
Sc School
CL Care of Lot in Hillside Cemetery
uCL Care of Lot in Union Cemetery
oCL Care of Lot in Old Cemetery
GH General Care of Hillside Cemetery
* Real Estate Sold
2L Care of two smaller lots
(a-a) (b-b) (c-c) (d-d) and (e-e) designates Two Funds for one Lot

COMMON TRUST FUND

PRINCIPAL

January 1, 1968		
103 Shares Chase Manhattan Bank	$ 5,292.02	
1426 Shares Puritan Fund	12,661.71	
260 Shares Broad Street Investing Corp.	3,842.49	
816 Shares Whitehall Fund	11,880.80	
180 Shares Public Service of N.H.	4,715.14	
Exeter Co-operative Bank	239.86	
		$38,632.02
Common Trust Fund Capital Gains for 1968		727.26
December 31, 1968		
103 Shares Chase Manhattan Bank	$ 5,292.02	
1491 Shares Puritan Fund	13,385.81	
260 Shares Broadstreet Investing Corp.	3,842.49	
816 Shares Whitehall Fund	11,880.80	
180 Shares Public Service of N.H.	4,715.14	
Exeter Co-operative Bank	243.02	
		$39,359.28
Common Trust Fund Dividends for 1968		
Chase Manhattan Bank	$ 242.05	
Puritan Fund	661.81	
Broad Street Investing Corp.	119.60	
Whitehall Fund	310.08	
Public Service of N.H.	259.20	
Exeter Co-operative Bank	11.17	
		$ 1,603.91
Interest on Unexpended Income for 1968		
Exeter Co-operative Bank		$ 264.21

Capital Gains for 1968			
Puritan Fund 65 Shares Plus	$ 3.16	$	$ 727.26

NATHANIEL B. ROWELL
WILLIAM F. DEADY
FREDERIC L. SMITH
Trustees of Trust Funds

January 16, 1969

We have this day examined the accounts of the Trustees of Trust Funds, Town of East Kingston, N. H. and find them properly cast and vouched for.

ELEANOR M. MOREAU
EVA L. SMITH
Auditors

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, Land & Buildings	$14,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	2,500.00
Library Furniture and Equipment	1,500.00
Fire Dept., Land & Buildings	4,500.00
Equipment	12,000.00
Police Equipment	2,400.00
Water Supply, Town Hall	1,250.00
Fire Wells & Hydrants	500.00
Schools, Land & Buildings	5,000.00
Equipment	2,500.00
Kennard Land	100.00
Bartlett Land	20.00
Berry Land	100.00
Janvrin Land	55.00
	$46,425.00

ANNUAL REPORTS

of the

SCHOOL DISTRICT

of

East Kingston, N. H.

For the Fiscal Year 1968-69

Officers East Kingston School District

1968-1969

School Board

Mrs. Ralph B. West, Jr.	Term Exp. 1970
Mrs. Richard A. Smith	Term Exp. 1969
E. Melvin Bowley	Term Exp. 1971

Treasurer

Mrs. Clifford J. Gallagher

Moderator

Mr. Robert B. Donovan

Clerk

Mrs. Harold B. Helme

Auditors

Ruth H. Palmer Frederick G. Baker, Jr.

Superintendent of Schools

Edward A. Adamo

Record of School District Meeting

East Kingston, N.H.
March 12, 1968

The School District Meeting was called to order by the Moderator Robert B. Donovan at 7:50 o'clock.

The Warrant was read:

ARTICLE 1. Motion by Mary Ioia and seconded that Robert B. Donovan by nominated for Moderator.
(Voted Yes)

Motion by Margaret Tilton and seconded that the nominations be closed.
(Voted Yes)

Motion by Richard Pelley and seconded that the clerk cast one ballot for Robert B. Donovan for Moderator.
(Voted Yes)

ARTICLE 2. Motion by Charlotte Farr and seconded that Edith Helme be nominated for School Clerk.
(Voted Yes)

Motion by Walter Evans and seconded that the nominations be closed.
(Voted Yes)

Motion by Richard Pelley and seconded that the Moderator cast one ballot for Edith Helme for School Clerk.
(Voted Yes)

ARTICLE 3. Motion by Reta Lamb and second-

ed that the clerk cast one ballot for E. Melvin Bowley for member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

(Voted Yes)

ARTICLE 4. Motion by Marguerite Atkinson and seconded that the clerk cast one ballot for Catherine Gallagher for Treasurer for the ensuing year.

(Voted Yes)

ARTICLE 5. Motion by Eva Smith and seconded that Ruth Palmer and Fred Baker be nominated for Auditors for the ensuing year.

(Voted Yes)

Motion by Reta Lamb and seconded that the nominations be closed.

(Voted Yes)

Motion by Robert Belcher and seconded that the clerk cast one ballot each for Ruth Palmer and Fred Baker for Auditors for the ensuing year.

(Voted Yes)

ARTICLE 6. Motion by Charles Monahan and seconded that the District raise and appropriate the sum of $89,576.00 for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for school district officials and agents and for the payment of the statutory obligations of the district.

(Voted Yes)

ARTICLE 7. Motion by Charles Monahan and seconded that we adopt as the checklist for school meetings the checklist of the town.

(Voted Yes)

ARTICLE 8. Motion by Charles Monahan and

seconded that we table Article 8.

(Voted Yes)

ARTICLE 9. Motion by Reta Lamb and unanimously seconded that we give Charles Monahan a rising vote of thanks for the twenty years he has served on the School Board.

(Voted Yes)

Motion entertained by the Moderator if there is no other business to come before the School Meeting we close and return to the Town Meeting.

Motion by Richard Mitchell and seconded we close the School Meeting and return to the Town Meeting.

(Voted Yes)

School Meeting Closed at 8:10 p.m.

Edith M. Helme, School Clerk

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District of the Town of East Kingston qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 11th day of March, 1969 at 7:30 o'clock in the evening to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.

2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

5. To choose two Auditors.

6. To see what sum of money the District will vote to raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the payment of salaries for school district officials and agents and for the payment of the statutory obligations of the District.

7. To see if the School District will vote to authorize the employment of a Business Administrator for the schools of Supervisory Union #16, as provided in RSA 186:11, XXII and XXIII, starting with the school year 1969-

70 and to raise and appropriate the sum of Three Hundred Sixteen Dollars ($316) as East Kingston's share of the salary, travel, retirement and F.I.C.A.

8. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said East Kingston this 12th day of February, 1969.

EVA L. SMITH
ALICE L. WEST
E. MELVIN BOWLEY

School Board of
East Kingston, N.H.

A True Copy of Warrent—Attest

EVA L. SMITH
ALICE L. WEST
E. MELVIN BOWLEY

School Board of
East Kingston, N.H.

Budget of the School District of East Kingston

1969-70

	Expenditures 1967-68	Adopted Budget 1968-69	Proposed Budget 1969-70
ADMINISTRATION			
Salaries of District Offices	185.00	268.00	280.00
Contracted Services	40.00	40.00	40.00
Other Exp. Dist. Officers	95.00	200.00	200.00
INSTRUCTION			
Salary of Principal	691.64	300.00	500.00
Salaries of Teachers	19,292.98	21,000.00	28,660.00
Textbooks	275.59	540.00	761.00
Audio Visual & Library	272.49	300.00	
Teaching Supplies	916.54	630.00	1,040.00
Con. Serv. for Instruc.	213.50	195.00	250.00
Other Exp. of Instruct.		1,200.00	100.00
ATTENDANCE OFFICER	10.00	10.00	10.00
HEALTH SERVICES			
Nurse's Salary	645.00	787.00	*
Contracted Services for health		60.00	110.00
Supplies	135.58	120.00	11.00
TRANSPORTATION	5,700.00	5,800.00	9,500.00
OPERATION OF SCHOOL PLANT			
Janitor's Salary	546.00	550.00	1,000.00
Janitor's Supplies	202.23	200.00	350.00
Contracted Services		200.00	200.00
Fuel	380.54	450.00	800.00
Utilities	222.68	250.00	450.00
MAINTENANCE OF PLANT			
Replacement of Equip.			20.00
Cont. Services Maint.	66.60	760.00	
Other Exp. of Maint.		200.00	
FIXED CHARGES			
Teacher's Retirement	702.84	968.00	905.00

F.I.C.A.	541.60	600.00	869.00
Insurance	187.00	200.00	300.00
SCHOOL LUNCH AND / OR SCHOOL MILK			
Federal Monies	431.49	365.00	400.00
CAPITAL OUTLAY			
New Equipment	122.87	200.00	885.00
OUTGOING TRANSFER ACCOUNTS			
Tuition — Public Schools	41,307.31	50,255.00	60,984.00
Sup. Union Expense	1,283.35	1,517.00	1,641.00
Nurse's Salary, Travel, FICA, Etc.		900.00	944.00
Other In-State Expend.	374.00	511.00	570.00
Tuition—Non-Public Schools	802.00		600.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES OR SCHOOL APPROPRIAT.	75,643.83	89,576.00	112,380.00
RECEIPTS			
Balance (actual or estimate)		319.06	
State Aid—Foundation	5,275.18	5,637.53	5,636.00
Sweepstakes	1,244.58	807.85	1,027.00
Intellectually Retarded	125.07	100.00	
Federal Aid Lunch or Milk	385.77	365.00	400.00
P.L. 874	304.00	1,800.00	
NDEA Title III	94.13	100.00	
Trust Funds		400.00	555.00
Other	555.10		
TOTAL RECEIPTS	7,983.83	9,529.44	7,618.00
DISTRICT ASSESSMENT	67,580.80	80,046.56	104,762.00
TOTAL APPROPRIATION VOTED BY DISTRICT		89,576.00	112,380.00

* Nurse under Super. Union Line 1477.4 beginning 1969-70

Report of School District Treasurer

July 1, 1967 to June 30, 1968

Cash on Hand July 1, 1967		$447.10
Received from Selectmen	67,580.80	
Received from State Sources	6,644.83	
Received from Federal Sources	783.90	
Received as Income from Trust Funds	555.10	
Received from Other Sources	184.72	
Total Receipts		75,749.35
Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year		76,196.45
Less School Board Orders Paid		75,828.55
Balance on hand June 30, 1968		367.90

July 12, 1968

CATHERINE M. GALLAGHER
District Treasurer

AUDITORS CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the Treasurer of the School District of East Kingston, N.H. of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1968 and find them correct in all respects.

July 29, 1968

RUTH H. PALMER
FREDERICK G. BAKER, JR.
Auditors

East Kingston

Superintendent's Report

It is a privilege for me to present this first annual message as Superintendent. Certainly, appreciation is due to my predecessor, Mr. Raymond Hoyt, who served the schools of Union #16 for twenty years. Finding the schools fully staffed, instructional materials on hand, and the complex business of several districts in good order, was of great benefit to me and to the schools.

The new school year began with a Union-wide faculty meeting of the professional staff at the Exeter Area Junior High School on Tuesday, September 3, 1968. On the following day the schools opened for instruction.

The East Kingston schools opened this year with 87 pupils, an increase of 5 pupils from the beginning of school a year ago. This represents a 6% growth. There are presently 33 East Kingston pupils in the Area Junior High School and 49 in the Area High School.

One of Mr. Hoyt's last concerns for the East Kingston schools was adequate building space to meet the immediate and long term needs of the children in your community. This concern has devolved upon me as the new Superintendent. As concerned as I am, I can truly do little. It is the people of East Kingston, both individually and collectively, who must look at the problem in all its dimensions and arrive at a community solution. The immediate bottleneck is, it appears, that many people do not even wish to think about the problem of school

space; let alone do something about it.

The present status of things is this. The School Board, late last spring, did appoint a School Building Study Advisory Committee. The Committee studied the problems of space, even secured the advise of an architect, Mr. Irving Hershey, without charge. Many possible alternatives were examined. The committee even set its eye on a possible four room elementary school site. In the course of their deliberations, the prospective site was sold to a private buyer. Expansion of the Pound School and/or Brown's Academy were studied. There were evident disadvantages to expansion of these facilities; they were:

1. The State Department would not approve either site for state building aid as neither site could meet minimum acreage standards.

2. The cost of expanding these facilities because of their basic structure and location would be quite expensive and though this would serve short term needs for a few years, it would not solve the long term problem as it would leave no further room for expansion on existing sites.

Other alternatives were looked at, such as rental of a space here and there when the need arose. This too has its clear disadvantages in that it is expensive, educationally inefficient because of the "scattering" of pupils, and leaves the community with no equity in capital assets.

The problem is "real" as the following statistics taken from official census reports will show; the growth rate over an eight year period is inescapable.

East Kingston Public School	1960-61	1968-69	Increase	% Increase
Enrollment Grades 1-6	64	96	32	50%

All Children Aged Birth - 18 yrs.	207	284	77	37.5%

An individual class and teacher for the 1st grade and the 2nd grade is recommended to the voters in the 1969-70 Budget as Mrs. Loch can no longer be expected to teach a combination 1st and 2nd grade class of 37 youngsters - - - - indeed it is unlikely that any other teacher in the state but Mrs. Loch would have tolerated such a teaching load for so long a time. This means we must have one additional room for 1969-70. When the size of the other two combined classes are looked at in conjunction with the experience of the past as illustrated by the above chart, we can see the problem clearly. The 3rd and 4th grade class presently numbers 33 pupils. Next year's 3rd and 4th grade class should number 28 if all are promoted and there are no move-ins or move-outs; that can be accommodated. But in the 1970-71 school year, if all 37 pupils move up, we shall again be faced with the additional need of another room and another teacher to provide a separate room and teacher for the 3rd grade and also for the 4th grade. Should any growth in pupils occur (as has ocurred in the past) above the 37 pupils we presently count in the 1st and second grades, it will simply make these needs absolute if you wish to continue to educate your elementary children in East Kingston. The people of East Kingston must look at these facts now! The people must arrive at some decisions on these matters in the year of grace immediately ahead, before the full weight of these problems descend upon us.

My personal observations of East Kingston pupils has been thus far very limited. There have been the usual problems with buses at the beginning of the year, overcrowding in the Pound School's first and

second grade, and the normal learning problems which confront some children at every grade level. These situations are bound to be with us as long as we maintain schools. By-and-large the schools have been functioning smoothly and effectively.

The teaching staff has had two changes in the last year. Mrs. Helen Hubner has replaced Mrs. Margaret Tilton as 3-4 Grade Teacher and Mr. Alfred White has replaced Miss Carol Hanson as 5-6 Grade Teacher. The present staff with their grade assignments and present enrollments are listed below:

Mr. Alfred White, Prin. — Grades 5 & 6	26 Pupils
Mrs. Helen Hubner, Grades 3 & 4	33 Pupils
Mrs. Blanche Loch, Grades 1 & 2	37 Pupils
Mrs. Eleanor Henry, Music	
Mrs. Virginia Holder, Nurse	

It has been a pleasure to work closely with Mr. Fred King, Teacher Consultant, in his vital work as teacher advisor and curriculum developer. Mr. King's comments on his work speak for themselves:

A great deal of careful planning must take place if the elementary school is to accomplish its assigned responsibility for education.

Various study groups this year have been formed to look at curriculum areas. A committee at present is taking a look at our science program. We have a general committee consisting of one member from each grade level. This person in turn works with all the teachers of that grade level in the Union. Programs and ideas are exchanged. The eventual goal will be to come up with the latest in science education for students in Grades One to Twelve.

We had another committee this past fall to study our testing program. The state is currently sponsor-

ing state testing at Grades 2-4-6 and 8. We decided to adjust our programs to go along with the state program. Grades will be testing each fall with achievement and intelligence tests.

We have a Union Committee currently working on our report cards and reporting symbols. Report cards have been the traditional vehicle for reporting academic progress to parents. Some new report cards are attempting to report a more comprehensive analysis of total growth. The committee will hopefully have a revised ranking procedure ready for the 1969-70 school year.

The Federal Grants continue to occupy a large portion of my time. At present Exeter, Newfields, and Stratham are studying a new Title I proposal. Realizing the importance of a child's first experience in school, a committee is studying a transition type program for the immature six year old. The committee feels it is a more sensible approach to spend time and energy on preventing problems rather than on remedying them.

Our Title II funds continue to place books and materials into our libraries. I regret to say, however, that we received only half as much money this year due to a Federal cut.I do feel this Federal grant has provided much needed resource material to aid children's natural curiosity to go beyond the textbook.

The second broad area is that of instructional improvement. This focuses on the degree to which children are actually learning to read, work with numbers, etc. The committee work mentioned above affects this area. The teacher consultant works with the staff members both individually and as groups. I am aware that school programs and teachers' efforts range over a continuum from traditional to

modern, and from conservative to progressive. The main concern is that all children are challenged to use their full potential. It has been a pleasure to have served this community for the past seven years in these two vital areas of curriculum development and instructional improvement. I hope to continue to show leadership in future educational projects.

MR. FREDERICK KING
Teacher Consultant

The tuition rates for 1969-70, as approved by the State Department of Education and announced by the Exeter School Board are:

Estimated Per Pupil Cost for 1968-69	
Senior High School	$651
Rental Charge	37
Total 1969-70 High School Tuition	$688
Estimated Per Pupil Cost for 1968-69	
Junior High School	$580
Rental Charge	40
Total 1969-70 Jr. High Tuition	$620

These estimated per pupil costs for 1968-68 compare with the state average per pupil costs of $695 per High School Pupil and $562 per Junior High Pupil exclusive of rental charges. I call your attention to the following tables and reports.

Respectfully submitted
EDWARD A. ADAMO

Supt. of Schools

Superintendent's Salary 1967-1968

Exeter	$8,883.20
East Kingston	462.08
Greenland	1,224.96
Kensington	688.64
Newfields	551.68
Stratham	989.44
State's Share	2,500.00
	$15,300.00

Teacher Consultant's Salary 1967-1968

Exeter	$4,927.40
East Kingston	256.31
Greenland	679.47
Kensington	381.98
Newfields	306.01
Stratham	548.83
State's Share	2,700.00
	$9,800.00

Report of School Health Services

To The Superintendent of Schools:

The present and future health of the nation depends in part on the understanding of individual and community health problems by the general public and on intelligent health behavior. This is the goal toward which health education is directed.

Through education only, can we expect returns from our efforts to establish good understanding and practices of health, hygiene, and safety among our young people. We therefore plan to make available interesting speakers, new films, filmstrips, publications and other aids to enrich the health education curriculum—ideally for use in connection with special class units at a time when material will be most meaningful to the students.

As of all special services it is often asked, "Just what is included in this program—do the results balance off favorably with the expense involved. Are we paying too much—or too little"? It is my belief that many are not really aware of just what their school health services encompass and strive to accomplish, and for this reason less philosophy and more facts are projected in my report this year.

Listed below are some of the routine health measures carried out under the supervision of your school nurse during the year:

Maintaining up to date school health records on every child
Heights and weights
Vision screening, necessary referrals and follow-up
Hearing screening, necessary referrals and follow-up

Evaluation of physical examination findings, and follow-up according to recommendations of the school physician

Immunizations of children where advisable by school physician (with parent permission)

Tuberculin testing on children of Grades 1 & 7, and members of the Staff

Dental hygiene program including application of topical fluoride

Free summer dental program for pre-school children in cooperation with the Division of Dental Public Health

Referrals to special services when indicated

Lazy-eye clinics and developmental screening on children 4 to 5½ years (a program to be carried out during the week following the closing of school in June. We hope all parents of children in this age bracket will watch for notices of this important date.)

First aid and related services carried out in the office when the nurse is on duty never fail to present the usual program interruption.

Elementary counseling where there is no such provision in the school plan must be offered in many instances by the school nurse

Home visits, while held to a necessary minimum are, nevertheless, an important and time consuming responsibility under school health services

Communication between Principal, teachers, special education personnel, psychological services, school and private physicians, school nurse and parents are of considerable value in promoting

an effective team approach. With all personnel working together, mindful of the other's role and in cooperation with the parents, progress can be faster and surer.

Again, these are but several of the many ways in which your school health service endeavors to make profitable use of all too limited time. Here I would like to mention that the State recommendation provides for a School Nurse pupil load of from 350 to 750 and fewer where travelling from school to school or town to town is involved. This school nurse is carrying a pupil load of nearly 1,000 pupils enrolled in 6 schools located in five towns geographically spaced from 7 to 21 miles apart. These towns are served upon a percentage basis according to school enrollment and each school is visited at least one a week — oftener upon request for special conference by an administrator, teacher or parent.

Parents are welcome and encouraged to visit the health office for conference when there is a health related interest which you may wish to discuss.

Its own role well earned, Volunteer services are increasingly in demand throughout our schools and of inestimable value. I cannot say how very grateful I am for the many hours contributed by the generous and conscientious volunteers in my schools during the past year. Their help and willingness to serve for other-than-pay reward is commendable and they are, indeed, a real part of the school team.

May I express my sincere appreciation of the support of the School Board, Superintendent of Schools, Principals, Mr. Alfred White and Mrs. Blanche Loch, members of the Staff, and to our school pediatrician, Dr. John Tuthill, whose interest and help has contributed greatly in making this a

successful and pleasant working year.

Respectfully submitted,

VIRGINIA D. HOLDER, R.N.
School Nurse

January 17, 1969

To: the East Kingston School Board

From: the School Building Study Advisory Committee

The School Study Advisory Committee has met five times and has discussed extensively the problems facing the community. It has viewed sites and has had the benefit of counsel from people qualified to speak on the matter. Our guests have been: Mr. Ira Stickney, a member of the N. H. State Department of Education; Mr. Irving Hershey, architect; Mr. Raymond Hoyt and Dr. Adamo, directors of Supervisory Union No. 16.

It is the opinion of the Committee that there exists and no doubt will continue to exist, at an ever-increasing degree of urgency, a real need for additional space for our elementary school children.

However, it is our further opinion that the complexities of erecting an entirely new structure are so great that an in-depth study could not be completed in time to make a fair presentation to the voters by School District Meeting 1969.

We recommend that the School Board authorize and appoint an expanded Advisory Committee to examine all facets of a possible new structure — particularly as to enrollment trends, financing and site selections; such committee to make its recommendations in time for official action by School District Meeting 1970.

In the meantime, the following two suggestions for solving our problem are made:

1. Approach the trustees of Brown's Academy with relation to expanding the top floor for one more school room, for which the Town

will pay rent to help defray the cost of additional work that would be necessary.

2. Request permission from the Official Board of the East Kingston Community Church to use the Sunday School Room for the additional space needed.

SCHOOL CALENDAR 1969-1970

Union Faculty Meeting, September 2 (Tues.) 1 day

School Opens September 3 (Wed.)

NO SCHOOL DAYS

October 10 — NHEA Convention
November 11 — Veteran's Day
November 27-28 — Thanksgiving Recess

Closes December 19 (Fri.)	74 days	16 weeks
Opens January 5 (Mon.)		
Closes February 20 (Fri.)	35 days	7 weeks
Opens March 2 (Mon.)		
Closes April 24 (Fri.)	40 days	8 weeks
Opens May 4 (Mon.)		
No School Day		
June 1 — for Memorial Day		
Closes June 18 (Thurs.)	33 days	7 weeks
	182 days	38 weeks

MARKING PERIODS:

November 7 — 10 weeks
January 30 — 10 weeks
April 10 — 9 weeks
June 18 — 9 weeks

Table I

EAST KINGSTON PUPILS

Total Enrollment January 1, 1969

GRADE	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Ttl.
Pound School	22	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	38
Brown's Academy	0	0	12	21	10	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	59
St. Michael	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2
Exeter Area Jr. H.	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	17	0	0	0	0	33
Exeter Area High	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	15	11	10	49
Emerson School	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Rock. School 1													1
TOTALS 1	22	16	13	21	10	17	17	17	13	15	11	10	183
1968 Compari. 1	15	10	20	9	15	15	19	12	13	12	12	9	162

Table II

East Kingston Schools, Grades 1 to 6

STATISTICS FOR TEN YEARS ENDING JUNE 30, 1968

School Year	Weeks in Year	No. of Boys	No. of Girls	Total Pupils	Average Attendance	Average Absence	Average Membership	Percent of Attendance	Tardiness Cases of
1958-1959	38	57	40	97	82.70	5.0	87.70	94.30	13
1959-1960	38	55	39	94	85.70	3.6	89.30	96.00	19
1960-1961	38	44	21	65	59.70	2.3	62.00	96.30	17
1961-1962	38	45	26	71	61.00	3.3	64.90	94.90	22
1962-1963	38	43	32	75	63.90	2.7	66.60	96.00	25
1963-1964	38	39	37	76	69.80	3.5	73.30	95.20	62
1964-1965	38	46	43	89	74.20	2.4	76.60	96.80	26
1965-1966	38	47	39	84	75.00	3.1	78.10	96.00	20
1966-1967	38	51	41	92	80.20	3.9	84.10	95.40	42
1967-1968	38	45	45	90	81.10	2.4	83.50	97.10	24

Table III

Perfect Attendance for Entire Year 1967-1968

Lynn Bradley, Gregg Mitchell, Richard Brailsford Gary Purington, Norman Freeman, Jr., Donald St. Laurent, David Hall, Charles Salewski

Marriages Registered in the Town of East Kingston, N.H.
For The Year Ending December 31, 1968

Date and Place of Marriage 1968	Name and Surname Groom and Bride	Residence of Each at Time of Marriage	Name of Parents	Name, Residence and Official Station of Person by whom Married
February 17 Newton, N.H.	Paul Joseph Pouliot Ingrid Delphine Helene	East Kingston, N.H. Bruns-Nietersimten Pirmasens, Germany	Henry Pouliot Alice Brisson Heinrich K. H. Bruns Maria Dahm	Richard F. Vickery Newton, N.H. Catholic Priest
February 24 Hampton, N.H.	Carl Theodore Brandt Roberta May Haskell	East Kingston, N.H. Beverly, Mass.	Francis Brandt E. Lorraine Biffin Harold W. Haskell Ada M. Harriman	Donald J. Rankin Hampton, N.H. Ordained Minister
April 20 Newton, N.H.	Thomas James Crowley, Jr. Cynthia Margaret Corbett	Natick, Mass. East Kingston, N.H.	Thomas J. Crowley Mary S. Monahan Irene E. Guimond Joseph A. Corbett	Richard F. Vickery Newton, N.H. Catholic Priest
August 24 Kingston, N.H.	Earl Frank White Cora Mary Reid	Derry, N.H. East Kingston, N.H.	Oscar White Carrie Foss Cyrille Fortier Adela Derosia	G. Randall Shook Kingston, N.H. Pastor
August 11 Exeter, N.H.	Robert James Noel Patricia Ann Hall	East Kingston, N.H. Exeter, N.H.	Willis S. Noel Pauline R. McKennon Robert S. Hall Alma R. Plant	John M. Smith Exeter, N.H. Clergyman
September 10 Exeter, N.H.	Garret Mott Ross Carmen W. H. Stanley	East Kingston, N.H. Exeter, N.H.	Frederick C. Ross Ella F. Kinsler George E. Higgins Verna O. Clough	John F. Bodycomb Kensington, N.H. Ordained Minister
October 5 Exeter, N.H.	Paul Herbert Costa Linda Irene Boyers	East Kingston, N.H. Exeter, N.H.	Anthony G. Costa Doris R. Duprey Herbert A. Boyers Christine L. Rock	Maurice Lampron Exeter, N.H. Catholic Priest
November 30 East Kingston, N.H.	Robert William Lapierre Gloria Emily Comeau	Haverhill, Mass. Haverhill, Mass.	Edward Lapierre Unknown Wilfred Bouchard Clara Dion	Edith M. Helme East Kingston, N.H. Justice of the Peace

Deaths Registered in the Town of East Kingston, N. H.
For The Year Ending December 31, 1968

Date 1968	Name	Sex	Age	Place of Death	Place of Birth	Name of Father	Name of Mother
March 17	Betsey B. Monahan	F	87	East Kingston	Mass.	George W. Sanborn	Fannie Morrill
April 9	Harris M. Woodworth	M	88	N'brypt, Mass.	Nova Scotia, Can.	William Woodworth	Lavenia Lohnes
*Jan. 23	Robert H. McClure	M	44	Cambridge, Mass.			
April 24	Harold N. Preble	M	71	Brentwood, N.H.	So. Hampton, N.H.	Joseph Preble	Neva Giles
*May 8	George R. Noel	M	68	Salem, Mass.			
May 17	Marvin F. George	M	76	Exeter, N.H.	N.H.	James H. George	Josephine C. Fitts
May 19	Annie G. Richardson	F	79	Exeter, N.H.	Mass.	John A. Obermeyer	Maggie Gifford
*May 26	Frank P. Young, 3rd	M	16	Kensington, N.H.			
Aug. 31	Ellsworth Reed	M	59	Plaistow, N.H.	Mass.	James Reed	Isabel Stewart
*Nov. 24	Amalia C. Place	F	82	Cambridge, Ohio			
Dec. 4	Edward T. Blanchard	M	78	Exeter, N.H.	Mass.	Leon E. Blanchard	Grace E. Emery

*Brought here for burial

Births Registered in the Town of East Kingston, N.H.
For The Year Ending December 31, 1968

Date of Birth 1968	Name	Father's Name	Mother's Maiden Name	Birthplace of Parents
Feb. 6	Kristin Elaine Brandt	Francis L. Brandt	Janet E. Doane	Mass. Mass.
April 17	Patricia Ann Brailsford	Richard A. Brailsford, Jr.	Mary P. Haas	Mass. Mass.
April 30	Marianne Elody Lindsay	Harry H. Lindsay	Ana L. Katapodis	Mass. Mass.
May 2	Bonnie Leona Amazeen	Clarence A. Amazeen, Jr.	Ernestine C. Parker	Mass. N.H.
June 26	Karen Lynn Crosby	Edwin F. Crosby	Jeanne M. Robin	N.H. Mass.
July 28	Austin Robert Carter, Jr.	Austin R. Carter, Sr.	Mary -----	Mass. Mass.
Aug. 6	Anthony Robert Batal	Anthony R. Batal	Linda Jean Hogan	Salisbury, Mass. Amesbury, Mass.
Aug. 15	David Eugene Haley	Arthur E. Haley, Jr.	Brenda A. Raymond	Mass. Mass.
Nov. 11	Caren Anne Rossi	Robert L. Rossi	Anne M. Turbide	Mass. Mass.
Dec. 2	Kenneth Charles Kiman	Matthew W. Kiman	Nancy M. Oschwald	Mass. Mass.